

Naturalization Checklist



To complete the Naturalization process for U.S. citizenship you will need the following:

FORMS and OTHER DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR NATURALIZATION:

N-400 Application for Naturalization and supporting documents

G-325B Biographical Information for Military Members (required if

you have ever been in the US Armed Forces)

N-426 Request for Certificate of Military or Naval Service

Standard Form 86

(SF 86) Authorization for Release of Information

FD 258 Fingerprint Card – obtained at the Provost Marshal's Office

on Camp Kim, 724-7211

(2) **Color Photos 2 x 2** Standard Passport-Style Photos –obtained at TSAK,

Camp Coiner, 724-3296

Photo copies of ID Photocopy of both sides of your Resident Alien Card

(Green Card) and Military ID card

Filing Fee Free (as of October 1, 2004) for N-400, submit money

order or cashier's check payable to the USCIS (always

verify the current fees on the USCIS website www.uscis.gov before submitting your application)

Memorandum Short note stating which installation the application is being

mailed from, and when and where the servicemember

would like to be interviewed

Notes: READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY. YOU MUST ACCURATELY AND COMPLETELY FILL OUT THE FORMS THAT ARE APPLICABLE TO YOU. Incomplete or inaccurate forms will cause delay in processing your packet. Despite what the forms say, it is acceptable to send copies of the documents to the USCIS, even without the certification form. Be prepared to provide originals at your interview with the USCIS. DO NOT SEND THE ORGINAL GREEN CARD CERTIFICATES, OR CASH.

(see the back for more information)

Verify Your Service Data At Your Personnel Office. Your personnel office will verify your service data and complete the back of Form N-426. Army personnel in Area II should contact 516th PSB at 723-5192; Air Force personnel in Area II should contact Osan AB at 784-1845; Navy Personnel in Area II should contact PSD at 723-4647.

All servicemembers filing for expedited naturalization must send their application packets to the following address:

US Citizenship and Immigration Services Nebraska Service Center P.O. Box 87426 Lincoln, NE 68501-7426

After submitting the application, you will have to return to the United States for an interview. USCIS generally schedules the interview within six months of receiving your application. If you pass the interview, you may take the Oath of Citizenship and obtain your Naturalization certificate on the same day. Otherwise, you may schedule your oath for a different date. After receiving your Naturalization certificate, you should apply for a passport, which is also proof that you are a U.S. citizen.

Remember that naturalization is a slow process. But, if you complete the paperwork properly, you could be taking the Oath of Citizenship within a year. If you have any questions regarding naturalization procedures, check out Application Procedures at http://uscis.gov/graphics/services/natz/howapply.htm or visit A Guideline to Naturalization at http://uscis.gov/graphics/services/natz/English.pdf. You can also visit your local Legal Assistance Office.

Yongsan Client Legal Services Office, Bldg 4106, room 229 (ACS building). Please call 738-6841 for an appointment. Office hours: M, Tu, W, F 0900-1600 and Th 1300-1500.